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Dr. Robert C. Hockett
The Council for Tobacco Research--U.S.A., Inc.
110 East 59th Street
New York, NY 10022

Dear Dr. Hockett:

In regard to our discussions during your visit to Boulder last August and to Dr. Ford's letter of August 25, John Thompson and I are submitting three "letters of intent" concerning research projects for funding consideration by The Council. These projects are:

1. Title: Chromatographic Separation and Comparative Metabolism of d- and l-Nicotine
   P.I.: John A. Thompson, Ph.D.
   Co-Investigator: Dennis R. Petersen, Ph.D.

2. Title: Implementation of the Isolated Perfused Liver to Study Nicotine Metabolism and Metabolic Interactions
   P.I.: Dennis R. Petersen, Ph.D.
   Co-Investigator: John A. Thompson, Ph.D.

3. Title: Influence of Route of Nicotine Administration, Species, and Age on Nicotine Pharmacokinetics in Mice and Rats
   P.I.: Dennis R. Petersen, Ph.D.
   Co-Investigator: John A. Thompson, Ph.D.

These projects have evolved from our discussions, and we hope that The Council will consider all or some of these to be of sufficient interest to justify the submission of detailed proposals. Since we would like to submit proposals by the December 31 deadline, we would greatly appreciate receiving the Council's opinions as soon as possible.

Thank you for your continued assistance and support.

Sincerely yours,

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